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From **Saturday**, SEPTEMBER 1, to **Saturday**, SEPTEMBER 8, 1733.

His MAJESTY's moſt gracious SPEECH to both Houſes of Parliament, on Wedneſday June 13, 1733.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE Seaſon of the Year, and the Diſpatch you have given to the publick Buſineſs, makes it proper for Me to put an End to this Seſſion of Parliament.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Commons,

I return you my Thanks for the Proviſions you have made for the Service of the current Year; I have never demanded any Supplies of My People, but what were abſolutely neceſſary for the Honour, Safety, and Defence of Me and My Kingdom, and I am always beſt pleaſed, when the publick Expences are ſupplied in a Manner leaſt Burthenſome to My Subjects.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I cannot paſs by unobſerved the wicked Endeavours that have lately been made uſe of to inflame the Minds of the People, and by the moſt unjuſt Miſrepreſentations to raiſe Tumults and Diſorders, that almoſt threatned the peace of the Kingdom; but I depend upon the Force of Truth, to remove the groundleſs Jealouſies that have been raiſed of Deſigns carrying on againſt the Liberties of My People, and upon your known Fidelity, to defeat and fruſtrate the Expectations of ſuch as delight in Confuſion. It is my Inclination, and has always been my Study, to preſerve the religious and civil Rights of all My Subjects; let it be your Care to undeceive the Deluded, and to make them ſenſible of their preſent Happineſs, and the Hazard they run of being unwarily drawn, by ſpecious Pretences, into their own Deſtruction.

Then the Lord Chancellor, by his Majeſty's Command, ſaid

My Lords and Gentlemen,

IT is His Majeſty's Royal Will and Pleaſure, That this Parliament be Prorogued to Thurſday the 26th Day of July next, to be then here held, and this Parliament is accordingly Prorogued to Thurſday the 26th Day of July next.

June 1. Laſt Wedneſday being the Birthday of their Royal Highneſſes the Princeſſes *Amelia* and *Carolina*, we hear there were publick Rejoicings made at new Tunbridge Wells, near Iſlington, where there was a Bonfire, and a Barrel of Beer given to the Populace: The Servants, Attendants, and the Workmen, that were employed in making the new Way for their Royal Highneſſes, were treated in a very handſome Manner at ſeveral Houſes in the Neighbourhood, where they drank the Health of their Majeſties, and all the Royal Family, in a very loyal Manner, and the whole concluded without the leaſt Diſorder: His Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales was pleaſed to Honour the ſaid Wells with his Preſence the next Morning, and left five Guineas to the Keepers thereof, two for the Servants, and 1 for a certain Perſon who paid his Duty in a particular Manner, to his Highneſs as he paſſed along, by a Teſtimony of his Loyalty.

June 28. His Majeſty's Yatcht the Fubbs is appointed to carry John Anſtis, Eſq; Garter King at Arms, his Son, and ſeveral Gentlemen belonging to the College of Arms, to Holland, who will embark on Saturday Morning at Greenwich with the blue Ribbon of the moſt noble Order of the Garter, which is to be preſented to his Highneſs

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the Prince of Orange by his Excellency Mr. Finch, his Majeſty's Ambaſſador extraordinary to the States General, the George of which is of moſt curious Workmanſhip, and ſet with 13 large Diamonds of great Value, with which his Highneſs will be inveſted, by Garter King at Arms, with the uſual Ceremony.

Yeſterday a Waterman and his Boy were ſtruck dead by Lightning, as they were going thro' the Bridge.

The Rt. Hon. the Lord Albercrombie has given 100 *l.* towards the Settlement of ſeveral poor Families in the Colony of Georgia.

May 28. Yeſterday his Majeſty went to the Houſe of Peers, and gave the Royal Aſſent to the following Bills, viz. the Land Tax Bill, Gin Bill, Fleet-Ditch Bill, one relating to the County-Courts, Sugar Colony Bill, Horſlydown Bill, Old-ſtreet Church Bill, and to ſeveral other publick and private Bills.

Her Majeſty has been pleaſed to preſent her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Royal, with a Suit of Lace, eſteemed the fineſt that was ever ſeen in England, and of a prodigious Value.

The following is an Account of the uncommon Behaviour of *William Alcock*, who was lately executed at *Northampton*, for Murder of his Wife. He never own'd the Fact, nor was he at all concerned at his approaching Death, refuſing the Prayers and Aſſiſtance of any Perſons. In the Morning he drank more than was ſufficient, yet ſent and paid for a Pint of Wine, which being denied him, he would not enter the Cart before his Money was returned. On his Way to the Gallows he ſang part of an old Song of *Robin Hood*, with the Chorus, *Derry, derry, down*, &c. and ſwore, kick'd and ſpurn'd at every Perſon that laid hold of the Cart; and being told by a Perſon in the Cart with him, it was more proper for him to read, or hear ſomebody read to him, than ſo vilely to ſwear and ſing, he ſtruck the Book out of the Perſon's Hands, and went on damning the Spectators, and calling for Wine. Whilſt Pſalms and Prayers were performing at the Tree, he did little elſe but talk to one or other, deſiring ſome to remember him, others to drink to his good Journey, and to the laſt Moment declared the Injuſtice of his Cauſe.

April 16. On Friday laſt about 4 in the Afternoon, the Rt. Hon. *Philip Stanhop*, Earl of *Cheſterfield*, Knight of the moſt noble Order of the Garter, and one of his Majeſty's moſt Hon. Privy Council, reſigned his White Staff, as Lord Stevvard of the Houſhold, into the Hands of his Grace the Duke of *Grafton*, who carried it immediately to his Majeſty.

The ſame Day the Rt. Hon. *Hugh Forteſcue*, Baron *Clinton*, Knight of the Bath, reſigned his Places of one of the Gentlemen of his Majeſty's Bed-chamber, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon. And yeſterday *William* Earl *Cowper* kiſſed the King's Hand for the Place of Gentleman of the Bed-chamber in his Room.

The following is a Copy of a Love-Letter ſent by a Country Schoolmaſter to the Lady of his Affections.

Dear Madam,

I F there be yet no Propoſition *towards a* Conjunction *with you, be pleaſed to accept of this* Interjection *of my Pretences: For I ao* Pronouns Adverbum, *that I deſire to be* Adjective *to you in all* Caſes; *for* Poſitively *I declare, that* Comparatively *ſpeaking, I ſhould be* Superlatively *happy, might I* Engender *with you in all* Moods *and* Tenſes. *I hope you will not think me ſo* Singular, *as not to deſire to have the* Plural Number *in my Family; or that I am too* Maſculine, *to be* Neuter *in regard to the* Fœminine: *wherefore, Dear Madam, let us have our Affections in* Common of Two. *Far be it from you to* decline *this* Conjunction, *tho' I am not the* Firſt Perſon, *nor the* Second, *nor the* Third, *that have ſolicited you to be* Subjunctive *to his Love. I preſume you will not be in the* Imperative, *whilſt I paſs from the* Optative *to the* Potential; *and that you will permit me to make a* Conjunction Copulative *of my* Propria quæ Maribus, *with your* As in Præſenti; *this will make a* Participle *of Happineſs, if you pleaſe* Actively *to give your Voice to be* Paſſive *herein: Be you but* Supine, *and I'll be* Deponent; *thus you will find it the* Optative *Part of my Soul, to be a lawful* Concord *with the* Genitive; *my whole Income ſhall be a* Dative *to you for the* Preſent; *nothing ſhall be* Accuſative *againſt you for the* Future; *and your dear Name ſhall ever be my* Vocative *till Death the great* Ablative *of all Things part us.*

I am, Dear Madam,

Your moſt Obſequious Adorer.

Dublin, April, 28. The Boatſwain of a large Ship in this Harbour, was to be joined in Wedlock, laſt Week, after a tedious Courtſhip; but when the Clergyman came

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to perform his part, the intended Bridegroom wept bitterly, and would not be married. Being asked the Reaſon, he would give none; upon which, ſome Women in Company ſearched him; and came to a Reſolution not to marry any Man that had not a Certificate.

BOSTON, Aug. 6.

A Deſcription of the late Storm or Hurricane on the 30th *June* laſt, in the Iſland of *St. Chriſtophers* in the *Weſt-Indies*, viz. In the Morning at Sun-riſing the Weather appearing very thick, and the Horizon very hazy, with hard ſquals of Rain and Gufts of Wind from the E.N.E. continually increaſing harder and harder, with very hard Rain, and in it many Whirlwinds, the Wind, Weather and Seas making the Element to look very diſmal, and threatning ſome eminent Danger of Shipwreck to the Mariners, by their Veſſels giving them too ſhort a Time to provide againſt the Danger: But notwithſtanding all their Care to ſecure them, it proved fatal to almoſt every Veſſel then riding at Anchor in Baſſetterre Road, the chief Town of that Iſland. About ten a Clock in the Morning, to four in the Afternoon, came aſhore, and wreck'd The Brigt. *Robert*, Capt. *Dowrick*, belonging to *Boſton*, half laden; Brigt. *Sally*, *David Burch*, belonging to *Philadelphia*, laden and there bound; Snow *Good Endeavour*, *Lovett*, from *Guinea*; Ship *Mary* of *London*, *Elles*, for *Jamaica*; Ship *Friendſhip* of *Boſton*, *Moſes Prince*, laden; Brigt. *Antient Briton*, *Tennant*, of and for *Briſtol*; Ship *Stapleton* of *Briſtol*, *Tho Eaſton*; Ship *Naſſau* of *Briſtol*, *Sam. Jennings*; Brigt. *Diſpatch* of *Boſton*, *Nath. Howland*; Ship *Prince of Wales* of *Liverpool*, Capt. *Davis*; Ship *Mary* of *London*, *Grey*, late from *Philadelphia*. All the above Veſſels are on Shore, and loſt with their Ladings. The Ship *St. Andrew* of *Glaſgow*, *Brown*, but got off the 4th Day after the Storm; Ship *Hame*, *Marſhal*, drove out to Sea and Founder'd, the Hands taken up by a Dutchman; Brigt. *Real Friendſhip* of *North-Carolina*, *Edw. Richards*, loſt at deep Bay with her Lading; the *St. Chriſtophers* Brigt. *Kingſtow*, cut away her Maſts and rode out the Storm. The *Sea-horſe* Man of War cut away all Maſts during the ſaid ſtorm; Snow *Molly* of *Briſtol* drove out from *Nevis* and Foundered, all the Hands loſt, except the Boatſwain and two Boys, off the weſt End of this Iſland, ſhe was commanded by Capt. *Pain*; Ship — *Wright*, of *Rhode-Iſland*, drove out from *Sandy Point* and ſunk, all Hands loſt, except the Mate and Boy which ſwam on ſhore, ſhe laden, and ready to ſail for *London*; a Sloop belonging to *Boſton*, Capt. *Matthews*, rode out the Storm at Deep Bay; a Brigt. drove out of *Nevis*, Capt. *Cuſſens*, loſt his Maſts, Cabooſe, Anchors and Boat, endeavouring to get to *Jamaica* if poſſible: Beſides Scooners & other ſmall Veſſels that belonged to *St. Chriſtophers* and the adjacent Iſlands, not here inſerted: The Violence of the ſaid Hurricane laſted 6 or 7 Hours, for the Wind firſt being at E N E. continued but a ſhort ſpace, and then ſhifted to S E.

Aug. 13. We hear from St. *Thomas*'s that in the late Hurricane, there was drove aſhore and loſt 24 ſail of Veſſels. That out of 32 Mills at the Iſland of *Mountſerrat*, 3 was only left ſtanding, half the Houſes blown down, and 13 ſail of Veſſels loſt. That the Iſland of *Antigua* has ſuſtained conſiderable Damages in their Wind-Mills; but little or no Loſs in ſhipping.

On Saturday arrived his Majeſty's Ship the *Scarborough*, Capt. *Durell* Commander, in 6 Days from *Hampton* in *Virginia*, where he landed Sir *John Randolph*, after a Fortnight's Paſſage from hence.

By a Letter from *Canſo* on the 3d Inſtant, we hear the *French* are beginning to fortify *St. Peter's*, a Fort about 6 Leagues diſtance from thence.

From *Gibraltar* we hear, that the *Salleemen* are entirely intercepted by 3 *Engliſh*, & 5 *Dutch* Men of War, whereby no Veſſel can paſs in or out of the port of *Sallee*: That at *Oran* they were ſtill and quiet, and that another Battery of conſiderable Force, was building at the City of *Gibraltar*.

Newport, Rhode-Iſland, Aug. 2. By Letters from *Euſtatia*, on the 2d of *July* laſt, we have the melancholly Account of a violent Hurricane on the 30th of *June* laſt, which drove aſhore 2 Sloops belonging to this place, a Brigt. to *Boſton*, and about 14 Ships to ſeveral other ports, alſo a ſhip belonging to Capt. *Mailorne*, laden with ſugars, bound to *London*, founder'd at Anchor (no Account whether the Men are ſaved); that upwards of 140 Hogſheads of Molaſſes were loſt upon the Bay at *Euſtatia*, and a ſhip without Maſts, Head, or Men, was towed in there by a ſloop.

Yeſterday arrived Capt. *Whiting* from *Briſtol*, by whom we are informed, That Capt. *Rice Harris* of *Briſtol*, has been tried for the Murder of one of his Men on the Coaſt

Coaſt of *Guinea*, and found Guilty, and was to be hanged at *Execution Dock*.

CHARLESTOWN, *Sept.* 8.

On Thurſday laſt was iſſued out a Proclamation, appointing Wedneſday next to be kept a ſolemn Faſt, to implore the Divine Being to ſend us Rain, and his Bleſſing and Aſſiſtance in our Undertakings, for the Welfare and preſervatian of this his Majeſty's province.

PRICES of the following GOODS.

Rice 42 s. 6 d. to 46 s. per Hund. Pitch 40 s. to 42 s. 6 d. per Bar. Tar 35 s. per Bar. Turpentine 20 s. to 22 s. 6 d. per Hund. Skins 17 s. 6 d. to 18 s. 9 d. per Pound. Wine 90 l. per Pipe. Indian Corn 10 s. per Buſhel. Staves 14 to 15 l. per Thouſand. Flour 31. 10 s. per Hund. Brown Bread 31. 10 s. Middl. ditto 41. 10 s White 61. 10 s. Milk Biſket 10 l. Barbadoes Rum 11 s. 3 d. per Hogſh. Antigua ditto 10 s. 6 d. Limejuice 13 s. 9 d. per Hogſh. Melaſſes 6 s. 3 d. per Hogſh. Salt 12 s. 6 d. per Buſhel.

EXPORTED from this PLACE ſince *Nov.* 3, 1732, to *Sept.* 31, 1733.

Rice 47,713 Barrels, and 828 Baggs Pitch 13,442 Tar 5,789. Turpentine 2,227. Whereof 9,243 Barrels, and 828 Baggs of Rice for FOREIGN MARKETS.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, Charleſtown, *Entred in*,

Brigt. Good Intent, John Slaughter, from Bolton.
Snow Speedy, David Davis, from Jamaica.
Sloop Friendſhip, William Hinckley, from Philadelphia.

Entred out.

Ship St. George, William Manning, for Antigua.
Sloop Friendſhip, Boaz Bell, for Barbados.

Cleared for Departure.

Sloop Gallant Scheemer, Joſeph Prew, to Providence.
Ship Shepherd, Simon Ford, to Briſtol.

Advertiſements.

ON the 28*th* Inſtant will be *SOLD* at publick Vendue, at Mr. *Richard Wright*'s Plantation, on *James*'s Iſland, all the Negroes belonging to the Eſtate of *John Wright*, Deceaſed; amongſt which are 5 pair of Sawyers. A Twelvemonth's Credit will be given, upon good Security, if required. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired forthwith to pay their reſpective Debts to Mr. *Richard Wright*, Adminiſtrator to the ſaid Eſtate, or they will be proceeded againſt with the utmoſt Severity. *N. B.* A place near Town, called the Rat-Trap, and a Houſe in Town called the Tanyard, to be Lett, Enquire of the ſaid *Wright*, or *Ribton Hutchinſon*.

WHEREAS it hath been induſtriouſly reported, by the Land-Hunting Clann and their Abetters, that there are come to *Carolina*, Copies of Letters I, the Subſcriber, Writ to the Rt. Hon. *Horatio Walpole*, Eſq; and that the Reaſon of my not attending the Service of the Houſe of Commons theſe two laſt Weeks, is, for that I am aſhamed of the ſaid Letters.

THESE are to certify, that I have writ ſeveral Letters to the ſaid Mr. *Walpole*, whereof I am ſo far of being aſhamed, that I do hereby deſire the Perſon to whom the Copies are tranſmitted, to publiſh them at full Length in the *Gazette*, with an Extract of the Remarks made upon them, by the Perſon that tranſmitted them to *Carolina*; and unleſs this is done, I (and I believe every other impartial Man) will be of Opinion, that the above Report is maliciouſly raiſed againſt the Subſcriber, for the Share he took, in fruſtrating the pernicious Scheme of the Land Projectors, in running out Lands contrary to Law.

Sarpbley, Sept. 7, 1733. *John Lloyd.*

Pariſh of St. James's Gooſe-Creek, Sept. 3, 1733.

WHereas ſeveral of the Inhabitants have neglected to come and return on Oath, to the Commiſſioners, as the Law directs, the Number of their Males taxable to the Highways, notwithſtanding they have been duly ſummoned by Advertiſements fix'd up in ſeveral parts of the Pariſh to do it by this Day: This is therefore further to advertiſe, as well the above-mentioned Defaulters, as all the ſeveral Overſeers appointed, this and the laſt Year, on the ſaid ſeveral high Roads of this Pariſh, who have not yet made their due Returns, and the Perſons by us Authoriſed as Collectors, to levy on ſuch as were Defaulters in the Tax raiſed for the Repairing of *Gooſe Creek*, and *Hume*'s Bridges, that the Commiſſioners will attend again for the ſeveral Purpoſes, on the ſecond Saturday in *October*, at the Houſe of Mr. *Edward Keating* (till which time they will ſingly receive any ſuch Returns) and that they will then forthwith, put the Law in Force againſt every Defaulter, in what Station ſoever, relating to the Highways.

Signed by Order of the Commiſſioners,

Tong Bayly, *Clerk.*

ON *Wedneſday Sept.* 12, to be *SOLD* at Mr. *William Cattell*'s Landing, on *Ashley* River, a Parcel of Houſhold Goods, Slaves, &c. belonging to the Eſtate of Col. *Ramſey*, Deceaſed.

JUST Imported, and to be *SOLD* by *James Crokatt*, Rum Muſcovado Sugar, Madeira Wine, Claret and Port Wine, Batavia Arrack, Scotch Snuff, Florence Oyl, Capers, Brimſtone, Salt-Petre, moſt Kinds of Medicines, and uſeful dry Goods

GOOD *Engliſh* dwarff Peaſe, & Molaſſes at 8 s. 9 d. per Gallon, and courſe and fine Salt, to be *SOLD* by *Wm. Linthwait* in *Broad ſtreet*.

TO be *SOLD*, by Capt. *Rich. Shubrick*, a very fine large moving Beaufett, to be ſeen at Meſſ. *Godin* and *Guerard*'s Store on the Bay.

ALL Perſons that have any Demands on the Eſtate of *John Smith* Deceaſed (commonly called Gunpowder *Smith*) are deſired to bring in their reſpective Accompts to Mr. *Nicholas Haines*, or Mr. *Jeremiah Milner*, Adminiſtrators, as they may be adjuſted: And all thoſe that are any ways indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to pay the ſame forthwith to the Adminiſtrators, without any further Notice.

This is to give Notice, to the ſeveral Perſons Debtors to the Store at *Hilltown*, wherein Meſſ. *John Dart*, *Thomas Binford*, and *James Smyth* are Copartners, That the ſaid *James Smyth*, hath by a proper Deed, under his Hand and Seal, aſſigned and transferred over to the ſaid *John Dart* and *Thomas Binford*, for a valueable Conſideration, all his Right, Title and Intereſt in and to the Debts reſpectively due and owing to the ſaid Store, And is therefore to forwarn all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Store, from paying their reſpective Debts, or any part thereof to the ſaid *James Smyth*, or they will be compelled to pay the ſame over again to the ſaid *Dart* and *Binford*, who are only and properly intitled to receive the ſame.

For Binford *and Self*, John Dart.

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